SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 838 By Cooper

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Chase Hard, 2004 Valedictorian of F. C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Chase Hard is one such exceptional student who was named Valedictorian of the 2004 graduating class at F. C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Hard has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, during his remarkable high school career, Mr. Hard has earned an outstanding 4.04 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, he has earned numerous honors during his high school years, including three mathematics, two history, and two Bible awards for maintaining the highest academic average in his class; and

WHEREAS, highly involved in his school and community, he has participated in soccer and Relay for Life, as well as going on annual mission trips to Honduras; he also completed a summer internship at Oak Ridge National Laboratories and has been invited to return for a second summer; and

WHEREAS, a recognized leader among his peers, he has served as President of the Interact Club and Treasurer of the National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, Chase Hard's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Scott and Dee Hard, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hard's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as a student at Tennessee Technological University and throughout life; and WHEREAS, his dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration,

and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Chase Hard, 2004 Valedictorian of F. C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High School, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for much happiness and every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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